

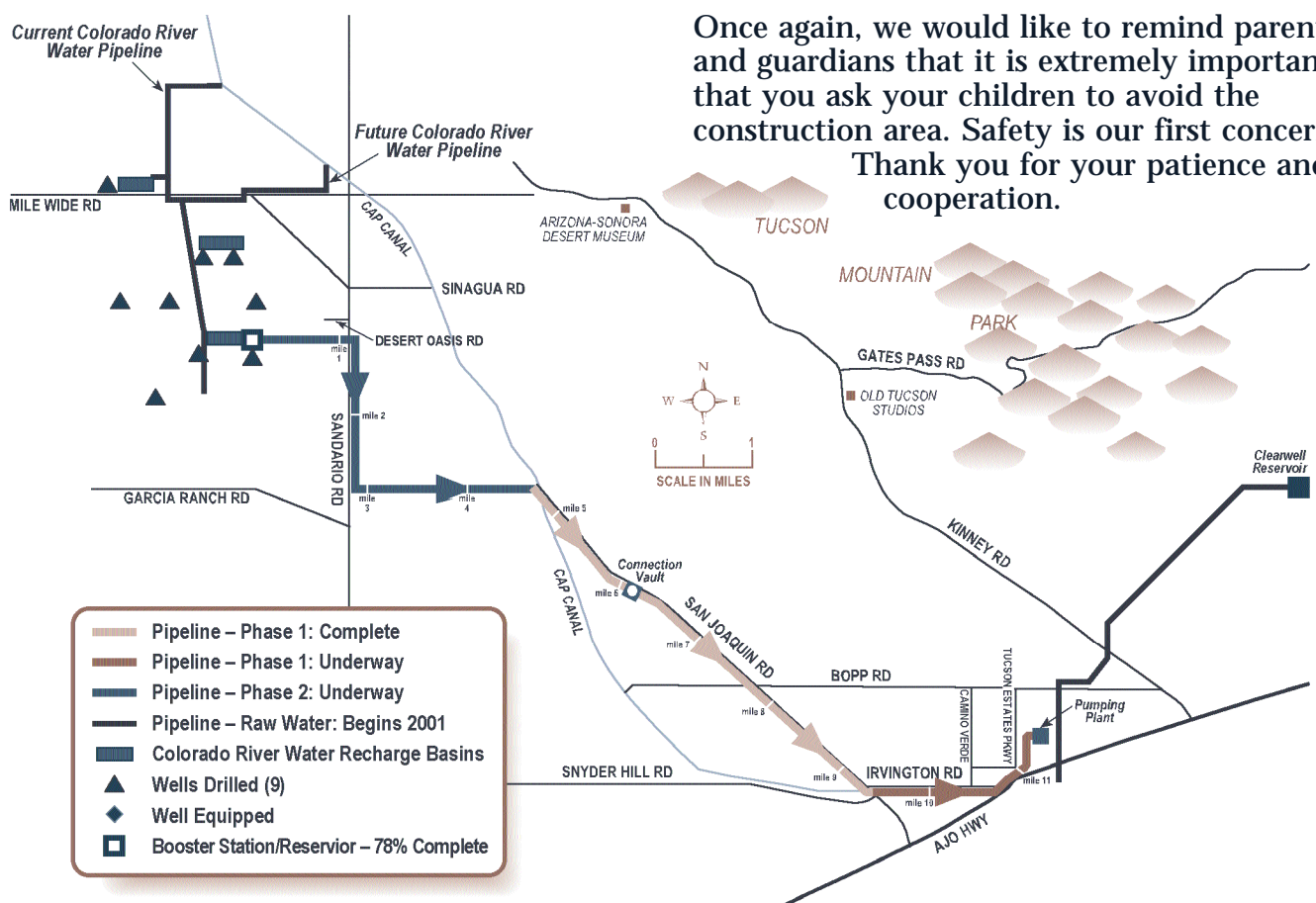
## Pipeline Construction Moves East Work Will Temporarily Close Irvington Road in September

**C**onstruction on the southern portion of the Clearwater Pipeline has just crossed San Joaquin Road and is now heading east on Irvington Road toward Tucson Estates Parkway. Please note that in early September, Irvington Road will be closed between San Joaquin Road and Tucson Estates Parkway. Please watch for detour signs and flaggers

directing traffic around the construction area. Tucson Water and Ames Construction estimate that in approximately one month, weather permitting, construction will reach the Parkway. Any damage to equipment or pipe stored in the area could prolong the construction time period. We will continue to keep you up-to-date on construction developments.

Once again, we would like to remind parents and guardians that it is extremely important that you ask your children to avoid the construction area. Safety is our first concern!

Thank you for your patience and cooperation.



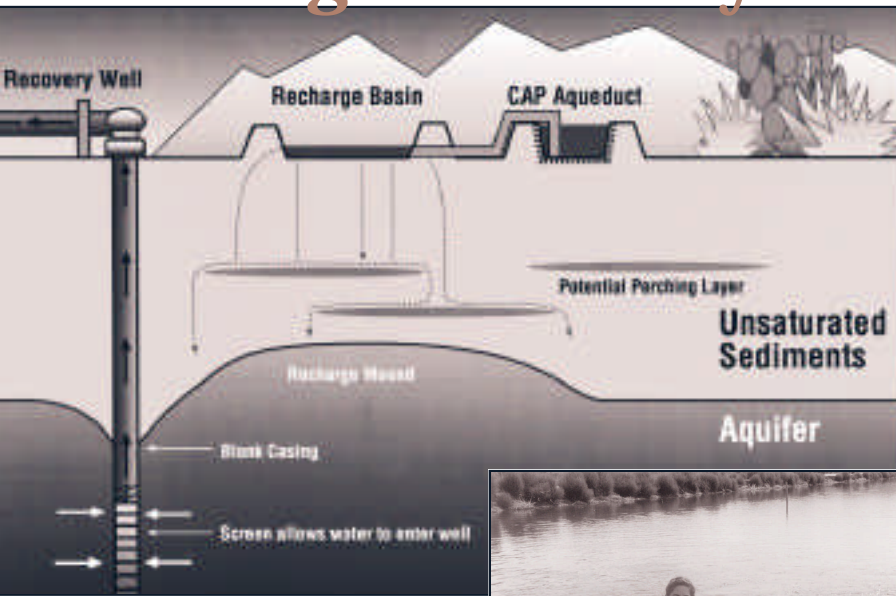
## Phase II Pipeline Construction Ongoing in Desert Oasis Area Construction Hours Expanded

**W**ork on the second phase of the Clearwater Pipeline is currently progressing in the Desert Oasis area. Tucson Water and Borderland Construction estimate that construction will reach Sandario Road in early September. Trenching for the pipeline will run south on the east side of Sandario Road for approximately two miles before turning east to the Central Arizona Project canal where it will join the north end of the pipeline being built in Phase I.

Progress of Phase II construction has been hampered by heavy rains. In order to complete

the section of pipeline along Desert Oasis Road as quickly as possible, Borderland will be adding another day to their work week. Construction in the Desert Oasis area will take place Monday through Saturday, 6:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. until further notice. Once construction crosses Sandario Road heading east, crews will work the project 24-hours a day. Tucson Water and Borderland apologize for any inconvenience this may cause to residents in the area and again appreciate everyone's patience as they proceed to complete this project as quickly as possible.

## Recharge & Recovery are the Key to Clearwater



**T**ucson Water is creating blended water at the Clearwater Facility through recharge and recovery. Colorado River water is piped into basins and allowed to soak into the ground until it reaches the water table where it blends naturally with the existing groundwater. Wells then recover this blended water and collector pipes carry it to the new reservoir and booster station on its way to Tucson Water customers.



*Marie Light, Hydrology Project Manager, checks on the condition of the water flowing into one of the recharge basins at the Clearwater Facility.*

### Clearwater Info Desk

*If you have questions about the construction of the Clearwater Renewable Resource Facility in Avra Valley, please call the Project Hotline – 885-8010.*

*If you have questions about the new Tucson Water – the blend that will be naturally created at Clearwater, or if you would like to have your name added to the mailing list for this newsletter, please call Tucson Water's Public Information Office – 791-4331.*

*It takes a team to Beat The Peak. For information about how you can conserve water and lower your water bill, call Tucson Water's Water Conservation Office – 791-4556.*

## Construction of Booster Station and Reservoir Nears Completion

**T**he Clearwater reservoir and booster station is now 78% complete. The reservoir will hold up to 10 million gallons of the blend of recharged Colorado River water and groundwater. The booster station will push the water uphill through the new pipeline to the Hayden-Udall pumping plant.

*Tucson Water Director David Modeer and Project Inspector Randy Buffalo look over the construction of the new water reservoir nearly complete at the Clearwater Facility. The reservoir is about the size of a football field.*



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